To expedite preparation of Environmental Management Plans and their clearance suitable interdepartmental arrangement are being worked out.

Petrochemical complex in Madhya Pradesh

2027. SHRI AJIT P. K. JOGI: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to refer to the answer to unstarred Question 3034 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 7th December, 1987 and state:

(a) whether any final decision has since been taken on the proposal of Madhya Pradesh Government for the allocation of gas for cracking and down stream industry and Gas Authority of India's proposal for setting up of a L.P.G.-cum-propane recovery project at Vajaypur in Mahya Pradesh; and

(b) in view of the surplus of C-2 and C-3 elements in the natural gas supplied through pipeline, whether Government will accord approval for the establishment of a petrochemical complex in Madhya Pradesh?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): (a) and (b) Approval in principle has been given to GAIL's proposal for extraction of LPG-cum-Propane projects at Bijaipur and GAIL have been directed to repare a detailed feasibility report for the above project including th manffacture of Polypropylene.

Apart from this proposal there is at present no other proposal to utilise natural gas for the setting up of any pertochemical complex in Madhya Pradesh.

राजस्थान में टेलीफोन लाइनें

2028. **श्री सत्य प्रकाश मालवीय :** क्या संचार मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) राजस्थान में सीकर जिले के गनेड़ी कस्बे तक टेलीफोन लाइन को सालासार जिला चुरु और सीकर जिला मुख्यालय से कब तक जोड़ दिया जायेगा और उसे अब तक न जोड़े जाने के क्या कारण हैं ; और

(ख) क्या यह सच है कि सीकर जिला मुख्यालय से लोसल कस्ब तक टेलीफोन लाइन मौजूद है और यदि इस लाइन को दौलतपुरा, जिला नागौर से जोड़ दिया जाए तो डीडवाना कस्बा, जिला नागौर का सीकर से सीधा टेलीफोन संपर्क हो सकता है ; यदि हां, तो इस टेलीफोन लाइन को न जोड़े जाने के क्या कारण हैं ?

ऊर्जा मंत्री और संचार मंत्री (श्री बसन्त साठे) : (क) गणेरी कस्बे की लंबी दूरी के सार्वजनिक टेलीफोन द्वारा सेवा प्रदान की जाती है जोकि सीमा ट्रंक केन्द्र के साथ जुड़ा हुआ है । सालासार एक छोटा स्वचल एक्सचेंज है जो सुजानगढ़ ट्रंक केन्द्र के साथ जुड़ा हुआ है । गणेरी को सालासार के साथ जोड़ना न्यायसंगत नहीं है क्योंकि ये पहले से ही अपने तहसील मुख्यालयों के साथ जुड़े हुए हैं ।

(ख) जी हां । सीकर और लोसाल कस्बे के बीच, सीकर के साथ लोसाल स्वचल एक्सचेंज को जोड़ने के लिए एक टेलीफोन लाइन विद्यमान है । दौलतपुरा एक्सचेंज भी सीकर के साथ जड़ा है । डीडवाना से सीकर के साथ जोड़ना फिलहाल इन दोनों स्थानों के बीच अत्यन्त कम ट्रंक परियात के कारण उचित नहीं है ।

Shifting of hazardous industries in Delhi

2029. SHRI J. P. GOYAL : Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government had given several assurances to shift hazardous industries in Delhi from the residential colonies to industrial areas;

(b) if so, what are the detais thereof;

(c) what are the reasons for the delay; and

(d) by when those industries are proposed to be shifted to industrial areas?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) to (d) Government is seized of the problems of pollution created by hazardous and obnoxious industries. Action to identify such industries shift them out from non-conforming areas has already been initiated by Delhi Administration.

According to a survey conducted by the Directorate of Industries, Delhi Admnistration, there are 868 units causing pollution in the Walled City of Delhi. Action to identify such units in other parts of Delhi has been initiated. Such units would be relocated in the existing developed industrial estates of DDA to the extent possible and then industrial areas to be planned and developed by DDA and Delhi Administration.

Sales turn over of duraboline etc.

2030. SHRI VITHALRAO MADHAVRAO JADHAV:
SHRIMATI RATAN KUMARI:

Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that his Ministry is subscribing to ORG which provides sales turn-over of each product; and

(b) if so, what was the sales turn-over of Duraboline, Decadurabol, oarabolise Dulcolax, Avaforten, Creamafin, Agarol, Kaltin; with Nedmycin combination, Aristozym Bestozyme, Vitazyme, Festal, Glynase, Osto-calcium Tablets, Osto-calcium Syrup, Calcium Sandoz Tablets, Calcium Sandoz Injection, Calcium Sandoz Syrup during 1986?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. This Ministry is subscribing to Retail Store Audit Report of ORG. But this report provides only all India estimates of sale of pharmaceuticals through the trade channel covering 175 companies and these estimates are based on purchase records maintained by 650 chemists spread out all over India. The sales estimates given in this report represent the purchases made by chemists alone, off take of pharmaceuticals by non-chemists are not covered in this report.

Prices of vitamin under DPCO 1979 and DPCO 1987

2031. SHRI BHUBANSWAR KALITA: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleasd to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Vitamin B6, Vit. B2, B1, Vit. C, Vit. E, Vit. A; Folic Acid and Vit. C have monopoly production;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the producers without any justification increased the prices of these drugs;

(c) when was the price of each of these drugs fixed by his Ministry under DPCO, 1979;

(d) whether his Ministry has compared the break-up given under DPCO, 1979 and under DPCO, 1987; and

(e) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VANGAL RAO): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Some of the producers have increased their prices under the provisions of DPCO, 1987.

(c) To the extent information available is given in the attached statement (*See* below).

(d) and (e) Reasons for increase in prices vary from case to case. In general increase is due to increase in the cost of